

## LAW OFFICES

## PARKHURST &amp; WENDEL, L.L.P.

SUITE 210  
1421 PRINCE STREET  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22314-2805  
TELEPHONE 703 - 739-0220  
FACSIMILE 703 - 739-0229

Official

FAX RECEIVED

DEC 07 1999

GROUP 1700

To: Examiner Nadine Preisch  
Group Art Unit 1764

Date: December 7, 1999

Company: U.S. PTO

Fax No.: 305-3601

From: Charles A. Wendel

Re: U.S. Patent Appln. Serial No. 08/857,585  
Fumio ABE et al. - Our Ref.: WATK:040E

11 pages including this cover sheet were transmitted. If you do not receive all pages, please let us know by return facsimile.

NOTICE: The information in this facsimile message may contain legally privileged and confidential matters intended only for the use of the individual or entity named above. If you are not the intended recipient, please note that any dissemination, distribution or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, we ask that you please notify us immediately, and then return the facsimile by mail to us at the above address. Thank you.

---

Dear Examiner Preisch:

On December 6, 1999 we filed a Request for Reconsideration w/attached executed Declaration of Naomi Noda and a petition for Extension of Time and check for \$110 (#12201) in the USPTO Mail Room.

Transmitted herewith are courtesy copies thereof and of our firm's return postcard receipt bearing the USPTO Mail Room date stamp confirming that filing.

This copy is presented for your convenience to expedite your consideration of this case. We await receipt of a Notice of Allowability or Advisory Action.

Respectfully submitted,

PARKHURST & WENDEL

WATK:040E  
Atty. Docket No.

Description: REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION W/ATTACHED EXECUTE

DECLARATION OF NAOMI NODA; PETITION FOR EXT OF  
TIME & \$110 (# 12101)

Inventor(s): Fumio ABE et al

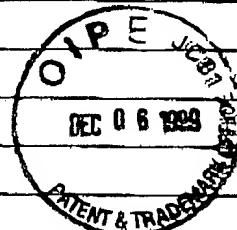
Title (new case): ~~HEATER AND CATALYTIC CONVERTER~~

Attorney: CAW/ch Serial No.: 087857,585

Paper(s) Filed: December 6, 1999

Date(s) Satisfied: December 9, 1999

N.D.D.: c/u: 1/9/00 NOA (2X) due



BWB